

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

SAMAL, et al.

Confirmation No.: 2502

Application No.: 09/926,431

Attorney Dkt. No.: 108172-00070

Filed: October 31, 2001

For: PRODUCTION OF NOVEL NEWCASTLE DISEASE VIRUS STRAINS FROM cDNAs AND IMPROVED LIVE ATTENUATED NEWCASTLE DISEASE VACCINES

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

ATTN - BOX MISSING PARTS

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

March 6, 2002

Sir:

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated <u>January 17</u>, <u>2002</u> (copy attached), the following are enclosed:

- \$\frac{65}{2}\$ as payment of the small entity surcharge for the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- Originally executed Assignment with Form PTO-1595; and
- \$\frac{40.00}{2}\$ as payment for the recordation of the Assignment.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371

U.S. APPLN. NO. (IF KNOWN, SEE 37 C.F.R. 1.5)

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO

PCT/US00/06700			May 5, 2000	May 5, 1999					
TITLE OF INVENTION: PRODUCTION OF NOVEL NEWCASTLE DISEASE VIRUS STRAINS FROM cDNAs AND IMPROVED LIVE ATTENUATED NEWCASTLE DISEASE VACCINES									
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: Siba K. SAMAL and Peter L. COLLINS									
1.	☒	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. (THE BASIC FILING FEE IS ATTACHED)							
2.		This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.							
3 .	⋈	This express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)] at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).							
4.	×	A proper demand for International Preliminary Amendment was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.							
		 A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)] a. □ is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. □ has been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. ☒ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 							
		A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].							
	X	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)] a. are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau. c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made.							
8.		A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].							
9.		An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].							
10.		A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].							
Items 11 - 16 below concern other document(s) or information included:									
11.	Ø	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 1.98 (including search report).							
12.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 3.28 and 3.31 is included.							
13.		A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.							
14.		A substitute specification.							
15.		A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.							
16.	X	Other items or information: IPER / Response to Communication (including Power of Attorney for P. Collins; Demand / Request for Change / Transmittal of Priority Documents (PCT/IB/304) / Response to Invitation to Correct Defects (including fifteen (15) sheets of formal drawings / copy of the application as filed (including specification; claims; and abstract) / Check No.							

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SEE 37 C.F.R 1.50) not ye	Lassigned 7			DATE: October 31, 2001						
17. The following fees Basic National Fee [3]	are submitted:		CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY						
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PCT Article 33(2)-(4)										
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Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate							
Total Claims	27 - 20 =	7	X \$ 18.00	\$ 126.00						
Independent Claims	7 - 3 =	4	X \$ 84.00	\$ 336.00						
Multiple dependent claim(s)	(if applicable)	\$								
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